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MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 105 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 7, between lines 25 and 26, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 2 "SECTION 8. IC 8-23-27 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
- 3 AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
- 4 UPON PASSAGE]:
- 5 **Chapter 27. Illiana Expressway**
- 6 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "committee" refers to the Illiana**
- 7 **expressway proposal review committee established by section 4 of**
- 8 **this chapter.**
- 9 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "Illiana expressway" refers to a**
- 10 **new interstate-quality highway connecting Interstate Highway 57**
- 11 **in Illinois to Interstate Highway 65 in Indiana.**
- 12 **Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "study" refers to the study**
- 13 **described in section 14 of this chapter.**
- 14 **Sec. 4. The Illiana expressway proposal review committee is**
- 15 **established.**
- 16 **Sec. 5. (a) The committee consists of eight (8) voting members**
- 17 **appointed as follows:**
- 18 **(1) Four (4) members of the senate, not more than two (2) of**
- 19 **whom may be from the same political party, to be appointed**
- 20 **by the president pro tempore of the senate.**
- 21 **(2) Four (4) members of the house of representatives, not**
- 22 **more than two (2) of whom may be from the same political**
- 23 **party, to be appointed by the speaker of the house of**
- 24 **representatives.**

1 (b) At least two (2) of the members appointed under subsection
2 (a)(1) and at least two (2) of the members appointed under
3 subsection (a)(2) must represent a district that encompasses all or
4 part of Lake County.

5 (c) A vacancy on the committee shall be filled by the appointing
6 authority.

7 (d) Initial appointments to the committee must be made before
8 June 2, 2007.

9 Sec. 6. (a) The president pro tempore of the senate shall appoint
10 a member of the committee to serve as chairperson of the
11 committee from January 1 through December 31 of odd-numbered
12 years.

13 (b) The speaker of the house of representatives shall appoint a
14 member of the committee to serve as chairperson of the committee
15 from January 1 through December 31 of even-numbered years.

16 Sec. 7. The committee shall do the following:

17 (1) Take and review the study presented to the committee
18 under section 14 of this chapter, testimony, and other
19 information provided to the committee by the Indiana
20 department of transportation, other state agencies or federal
21 agencies, and the public concerning the proposed Illiana
22 expressway project.

23 (2) Prepare a report to be submitted to the governor and to
24 the legislative council in electronic format under IC 5-14-6
25 regarding the committee's determination of whether the
26 proposed Illiana expressway project is recommended by the
27 committee.

28 Sec. 8. The committee shall meet at the call of the chairperson.

29 Sec. 9. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), the committee
30 shall operate under the policies governing study committees
31 adopted by the legislative council, including the requirement of
32 filing an annual report in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6.

33 (b) The committee may meet at any time during the calendar
34 year.

35 Sec. 10. (a) Five (5) members of the committee constitute a
36 quorum.

37 (b) The affirmative votes of a majority of the voting members
38 appointed to the committee are required for the committee to take
39 action on any measure.

40 Sec. 11. The legislative services agency shall provide staff
41 support for the committee.

42 Sec. 12. Each member of the committee appointed under this
43 chapter is entitled to receive the same per diem, mileage, and travel
44 allowances paid to members of the general assembly serving on
45 legislative study committees established by the legislative council.

46 Sec. 13. Representatives of the Indiana department of
47 transportation shall testify before the committee upon request of

1 the chairperson.

2 **Sec. 14. The department shall conduct an independent study to:**

- 3 (1) perform a needs assessment of an Illiana expressway; and
 4 (2) identify a highway alignment corridor for an Illiana
 5 expressway.

6 The department may use any part of a study conducted before
 7 April 29, 2007, to comply with this section.

8 **Sec. 15. Before July 1, 2009, the department shall present a**
 9 **report to:**

- 10 (1) the members of the committee in an electronic format
 11 under IC 5-14-6; and
 12 (2) the governor;

13 that presents the findings of the study conducted under section 14
 14 of this chapter and includes sufficient background for the members
 15 of the committee and the governor to evaluate the findings
 16 presented in the study. The report must include at least the
 17 following:

- 18 (1) A description of the need for an Illiana expressway.
 19 (2) An evaluation concerning the feasibility of an Illiana
 20 expressway, including the following:
 21 (A) Projections for acquisition costs and eminent domain
 22 issues.
 23 (B) Expected use of the proposed expressway and any toll
 24 revenues.
 25 (C) Expected construction costs.
 26 (D) Expected operating and maintenance costs.
 27 (E) Options for funding acquisition, construction,
 28 operation, and maintenance costs.
 29 (3) A description of the department's recommended route for
 30 an Illiana expressway, including the following:
 31 (A) Traffic projections showing expected use and relief of
 32 congestion.
 33 (B) Alternative routes.
 34 (C) Economic impact studies on the proposed route and
 35 affected areas.
 36 (4) Any other information that is necessary or appropriate to
 37 assist the general assembly in evaluating the Illiana
 38 expressway project.

1 **Sec. 16. The department may pay for the study conducted under**
2 **section 14 of this chapter from any funds available to the**
3 **department. The amount expended for the study may not exceed**
4 **two million dollars (\$2,000,000).".**

5 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
 (Reference is to ESB 105 as printed April 3, 2007.)

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